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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 3, 2006, please reconsider the present application in light of the following amendments and comments.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.